

REMARKS

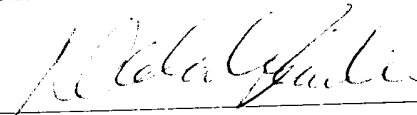
Applicants make the present amendment in order to remove an editorial comment that was inadvertently placed in the final specification. This amendment does not introduce new matter to the specification. Please note, that in the name of Alfredo G. Tomasselli was misspelled on the initial application papers. Dr. Tomasselli's name is correct on the declaration papers submitted in response to the notification of missing parts. Should there be any questions regarding this submission, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned representative at the telephone number listed.

Respectfully submitted,

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MARKED UP VERSION OF AMENDMENT MADE HEREIN

At page 84, please replace the paragraph between lines 1-4 with the following rewritten paragraph:

--°C. The reaction was allowed to proceed for 2hrs and samples withdrawn at several times. The results showed that 20%, 37%, 57%, and 82% cleavage occurred after 15, 30, 60, and 120 minutes, respectively. ~~Do they have comparative #'s for Nature or APP-SW?~~--